



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Richard G. MIDDLETON

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For: METHOD FOR CLEANING TEXTILE  
ABSORBERS

Attorney Docket No.: 105124-4000

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2005 be extended for a period of one month from September 17, 2005, the date now set, to and including October 17, 2005.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$60.00. Please charge the required fee to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

10/17/05  
Date

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